

PEOPLE MUST AID IN OREGON CENSUS

Supervisor Is Handicapped by Lack of Funds for Work in State.

POSTERS SENT BROADCAST

Second District Enumerators Have Way Paved for Replies in Instructions Sent to Foreign-Speaking Population in the City.

With the arrival of the census month, the office of Supervisor Beach, C. Beach yesterday afternoon actively than at any time since first preparations were made.

When the plan of the present census was first announced, said Supervisor Beach, "it contemplated a division of the work through the special agent force."

The enumeration begins on April 15, and yesterday the department asked me to call on each enumerator personally and instruct him in his duties.

Job Given Up for Bear Hunt. "Then on top of it all," said the supervisor, "he touched his gray hair with one hand, waved a pair of glasses in the other, and in ten or fifteen minutes informed me that they cannot accept because they have obtained permanent positions."

In the city of Portland there exists an opportunity for business men and private citizens to aid in the work of obtaining a just and fair count of the growth and development of the city.

Lack of Funds Hampers. The census bureau is without funds to hire more enumerators than have been appointed, and it therefore becomes a matter of public interest to know how the census is being conducted.

Every head of every family in the city will be asked to fill out a family table and ascertain the age of all the children, the date of his marriage, and then check up all the information which may be required to fully answer all the questions which are herewith printed in the Oregonian for the second time.

Push Club Scheme Pleases. The scheme proposed by Walter H. Evans, assistant chief of the East Side Push Club, has met with strong approval.

What Must Be Answered. The questions are as follows: Location—street, room, and house number.

Settlers Can Find Room. Advantages of Warm Springs Reservation Are Held Up.

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